THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI RAJESH PILOT) : (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. Four persons have been arrested for kidnapping of some foreign nationals in Uttar Pradesh. Out of these, three are confirmed foreign nationals.

(c) Government are deeply concerned about Pakistan's continued support to subversion and terrorism directed against India. Government have also apprised the international community of the fact and manner of Pakistan's support to subversive and terrorist activities directed against India.

Issue of Permanent Resident Certificates

2315. DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI :
SHRI TRILOKI NATH CHATURVEDI :

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government's attention has been invited to the news item under the Caption "40,000 foreigners leave Arunachal" published in the "Times of India" on 6th November, 1994, and if so, what are the facts in this regard;

(b) what is the month-wise number of "permanent resident certificates" issued by each of the North Eastern States during the past three years; and

(c) what is the number of unauthorised Bangladeshi persons in each of the North Eastern States as on March, 1994 ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. M. SAYEED) : (a) Yes, Sir. The All Arunachal Pradesh Students' Union had issued a 'Quit Arunachal' notice demanding expulsion of all foreigners from Arunachal Pradesh including the Chakma/Hajong refugees by September 30, 1994. Reports of intimidation and assaults on the Chakma and Hajong refugees were received. Some of these refugees had taken shelter in the neighbouring Assam State in Sepember, 1994. They have since returned to the State.

(b) Information is under collection from the State Governments of North-Eastern States and will be furnished after it is received.

(c) It is difficult to estimate the exact numbers of illegal immigrants from Bangladesh as they enter surreptitiously and are able to mingle easily with the local population because of ethnic and lingual similarities. However, from 1990, to July, 1994 the Border Security Force had intercepted 2,42,846 Bangladeshis trying to illegally cross over to India. The Tribunals set-up by the State Government of Assam under the Illegal Migrants (Determination by Tribunal) Act, 1983 had identified 8,632 persons in Assam as illegal migrants.

अपहरण में शामिल गिरोह/व्यक्ति

2316. **श्री शंकर दयाल सिंह :** क्या गृह मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) पिछले छः महीनों के दौरान दिल्ली में अपहरण की कितनी घटनाएं हुई;

(ख) इन घटनाओं में अपहृत बच्चों व वयस्कों की संख्या कितनी-कितनी थी; और

(ग) इस अवधि के दौरान अपहरण में संलग्न कितने गिरोहों या व्यक्तियों को पकड़ा गया ?

गृह मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री पी० एम० सईद): (क) 1-5-94 से 31-10-94 तक, पिछले 6 महीनों के अवधि के दौरान, दिल्ली में अपहरण के 414 मामले पंजीकृत किए गए।

(ख) उपरोक्त अवधि के दौरान, अपहरण के पुष्ट मामलों में 282 बच्चों और 8 वयस्कों का अपहरण किया गया।

(ग) उपरोक्त मामलों में, गिरोह के तीन सदस्यों सहित 366 व्यक्तियों को गिरफ्तार किया गया है।

Escape of Undertrials from Custody

2317. SHRIMATI KAMLA SINHA :
DR. BAPU KALDATE :

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) the cases in which the undertrials escaped from custody in Delhi while being taken to be produced in a court during 1993 and 1994 till date;

(b) whether any case of undertrials escape with the connivance of the escort has come to the notice of the police;

(c) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(d) what action has been taken by Government against the escorts involved in the connivance for the escape of the undertrials and also to check such escapes in future ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. M. SAYEED) : (a) Three cases in 1993 and one in 1994 (upto 30-11-94) have been reported in Delhi.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) Does not arise in view of (b) above